

2018 Current Fiscal Year Report: Standards, Assessments, and Accountability System Negotiated Rulemaking Committee

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1. Department or Agency

Department of the Interior

2. Fiscal Year

2018

3. Committee or Subcommittee

Standards, Assessments, and Accountability System Negotiated Rulemaking Committee

3b. GSA

Committee No.

2647

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

Yes

5. Current Charter

08/17/2018

6. Expected Renewal Date

08/17/2020

7. Expected Term Date

08/17/2020

8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

No

8b. Specific Termination Authority

Agency Authority

8c. Actual Term Date

9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Continue

10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

No

10b. Legislation Pending?

Not Applicable

11. Establishment Authority

Agency Authority

12. Specific Establishment Authority

20 U.S.C. 6301

13. Effective Date

04/11/1965

14. Committee Type

Continuing

14c. Presidential?

No

15. Description of Committee

Regulatory Negotiations Committee

16a. Total Number of Reports

No Reports for this Fiscal Year

17a. Open 2 Meetings and Dates 17b. Closed 0 17c. Partially Closed 0 Other Activities 0 17d. Total 2

Purpose

Create a common knowledge base about purposes and activities of the committee. Draft regulations related to standards, assessments and accountability.

Start

End

09/25/2018 - 09/27/2018

Revised regulations must be put in place as soon as possible, thus the Committee will be expected to meet frequently within a short time frame. The BIE expects to have three in-person meetings and one teleconference, with each in-person meeting lasting three days in length. The BIE has dedicated resources required to: Ensure the Committee is able to conduct meetings; provide technical assistance; and provide any additional support required to fulfill the Committee's responsibilities. At the first meeting, the Committee will conduct introductions of members at the start of the meeting and will continue with the following items on the agenda: Review and discussion of Committee Operations including operating protocols and decision-making criteria; Overview and discussion of existing regulations (25 CFR part 30) implemented at BIE schools and an overview topic paper; Overview and discussion of ESSA Section 8007(2) and ESEA Section 1111 and standards, assessments, and accountability topic papers; Discussion of the Committee's tasks and approach to draft regulations including discussion of draft regulations, outline work; formation of subcommittees and tasks between the first and second meeting; and Public comments.

09/25/2018 - 09/27/2018

Number of Committee Meetings Listed: 2

	Current FY	Next FY
18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members	\$13,109.00	\$15,000.00
18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff	\$17,162.45	\$18,000.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants	\$5,000.00	\$6,000.00
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members	\$26,000.00	\$30,000.00
18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members	\$8,000.00	\$10,000.00
18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff	\$6,000.00	\$7,000.00
18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants	\$750.00	\$800.00
18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)	\$175.00	\$300.00
18d. Total	\$76,196.45	\$87,100.00
19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)	0.25	0.40

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

The Committee will advise the Secretary of the Interior (Secretary) through the Bureau of Indian Education (BIE) and the Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs on the development of regulations to fulfill the Secretary's responsibility to define standards, assessments, and accountability system consistent with ESEA section 1111 (20 U.S.C. §6311), as amended, for schools funded by BIE on a national, regional, or Tribal basis, as appropriate, taking into account the unique circumstances and needs of such schools and the students served by such schools and the process for requesting a waiver for these definitions. The recommendations will focus on the regulations found at 25 C.F.R. Part 30, Adequate Yearly Progress.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

Members represent various tribes with bureau funded schools.

20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?

The Committee will meet approximately 2-4 times annually. The Committee is expected to continue until the promulgation of the final rule under consideration and will not continue past that time.

20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?

The advice and recommendations cannot be obtained from other sources because it is formed through discussion and consensus building with all relevant interest groups sitting at the table. The duties of the Committee are to negotiate in good faith with the goal of drafting regulatory language such that the Committee can approve by consensus the

submission of said recommendations to the Secretary.

20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?

Meetings are open to the public.

21. Remarks

The Committee had their first meeting September 25-27, 2018.

Designated Federal Officer

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Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Braucher, Lora	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Federal Employee BIE	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Campbell, Lucinda	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Education Board	Representative Member
Cuny, Charles	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Oglala Sioux Tribe	Representative Member
Dabrieo, Michael	08/17/2018	08/17/2018	Santa Clara Indian Pueblo	Representative Member
Etheridge, Ronald	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma	Representative Member
Hamley, Jeffrey	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Federal Employee	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Harper, Leslie	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe	Representative Member
Hastings, Jimmy	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Federal Employee BIE	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Jackson, Genevieve	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	President, Dine Bi Olta School Board Assoc. Inc.	Representative Member
Kitsopoulos, Gloria	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Oglala Sioux Tribe	Representative Member
McFarland, Amy	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Superintendent	Representative Member
McLeod, Jennifer	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Tribal Representative	Representative Member
No Runner, Frank	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Superintendent	Representative Member
Quint, Brian	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Office of the Solicitor	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Racawan, Tasha	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Navajo Representative	Representative Member
Riel, Brenda	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Office of the Solicitor	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Sandoval, Patricia	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Tribal Representative	Representative Member
St. Germaine, Richard	08/17/2018	08/17/2020	Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe	Representative Member
Tubby, Sherry	08/17/2018	08/17/2018	Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians	Representative Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 19

Narrative Description

Not Applicable

What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

Improvements to health or safety

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Trust in government

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Major policy changes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Advance in scientific research	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effective grant making	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improved service delivery	<input type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Outcome Comments

Not Applicable

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

None	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unable to Determine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Under \$100,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$100,000 - \$500,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Over \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost Savings Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Cost Savings Comments

Not Applicable

What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?

0

Number of Recommendations Comments

No recommendations for FY 18. Committee had their first meeting

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?

0%

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

Not Applicable

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?

0%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

Not Applicable

Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?

Yes ☒ No ☐ Not Applicable ☐

Agency Feedback Comments

Not Applicable

What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?

Checked if Applies

Reorganized Priorities	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reallocated resources	<input type="checkbox"/>
Issued new regulation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed legislation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Approved grants or other payments	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Action Comments

Not Applicable

Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?

No

Grant Review Comments

Not Applicable

How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO	<input type="checkbox"/>
Online Agency Web Site	<input type="checkbox"/>
Online Committee Web Site	<input type="checkbox"/>

Online GSA FACA Web Site



Publications



Other



Access Comments

Not Applicable